ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for **DEARNG Contract No. 06-2009** – **Window Replacement**, will be received by the Delaware Army National Guard at the Security Officers desk in the Main Lobby of the Joint Force Headquarters, Sherwood Park II, First Regiment Road, Wilmington, Delaware, 19808-2191, until **1:00 PM local time on Friday, August 7, 2009**, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Conference Room. Bidder bears the risk of late delivery. Any bids received after the stated time will be returned unopened.

Project involves window replacement at Joint Force Headquarters (near Milltown/Limestone Road intersection,) 198th Readiness Center (Newport Gap Pike) and Middletown Readiness Center in New Castle County, Delaware.

Attention is called to construction schedule as detailed in the Contract Documents.

A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 22, 2009, at 10:00 AM at the Delaware Army National Guard, Joint Force Headquarters, First Regiment Road, Wilmington, Delaware, 19808-2191, (in the Sherwood Park II development off McKennans Church Road near Delcastle Recreation Area) for the purpose of establishing the listing of subcontractors and to answer questions. Representatives of each party to any Joint Venture must attend this meeting. ATTENDANCE OF THIS MEETING IS A PREREQUISITE FOR BIDDING ON THIS CONTRACT.

Sealed bids shall be addressed to the Delaware Army National Guard, Joint Force Headquarters, First Regiment Road, Wilmington, DE, 19808-2191; ATTENTION: William R. Davis. The outer envelope should clearly indicate: **DEARNG CONTRACT NO. 06-2009 – Window Replacement - SEALED BID – DO NOT OPEN.**

Contract Documents may be obtained at the Pre-Bid Meeting upon receipt of \$75.00 per set/non-refundable. To obtain the Contract Documents at the Pre-Bid Meeting you must fax your request to the office of the engineer by July 20, 2009. Contract Documents will also be available following the Pre-Bid Meeting at the office of the engineer, W.C. Gomez Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 275, Pocopson, Pennsylvania, 19366-0275; PHONE: (610)793-2399; FAX: (610)793-1441. Checks are to be made payable to "W.C. Gomez Associates."

Construction documents will be available for review at the office of the Engineer, the Delaware Contractors Association and the Associated Builders and Contractors, Delaware.

Minority Business Enterprises (MBE), Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (WBE) will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids on this contract and will not be subject to discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in consideration of this award. Each bid must be accompanied by a bid security equivalent to ten percent of the bid amount and all additive alternates. The successful bidder must post a performance bond and payment bond in a sum equal to 100 percent of the contract price upon execution of the contract. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities therein. The Owner may extend the time and place for the opening of the bids from that described in the advertisement, with not less than two calendar days notice by certified delivery, facsimile machine or other electronic means to those bidders receiving plans.